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In re application of: Shafidul Islam, et al. Docket: 102451-108  
Serial No.: 10/563,906 Art Unit:  
Filed: January 6, 2006 Conf. No.: 5419  
Title: REVERSIBLE LEADLESS PACKAGE AND METHODS OF MAKING  
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1. Self-addressed, postage paid return postcard;
2. Copy of NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE (2 pages);
3. COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS – NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION, including Fee Authorization (4 pages, in duplicate);
4. Copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS (2 pages);
5. COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR JOINT INVENTORS, executed (6 pages).

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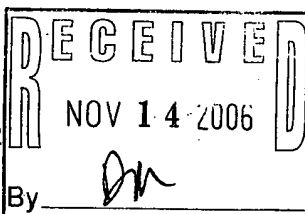


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*Notification of Defective Response due 12-15-06*  
**NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/06/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/06/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/06/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/18/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/26/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/06/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/06/2006
- Assignment filed on 06/20/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/06/2006
- Power of Attorney filed on 01/06/2006

Applicant's response filed 09/18/2006 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 05/05/2006 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - "Where individual declarations are executed, they must be submitted as individual declarations rather than combined into one declaration." See MPEP 201.03(II)(B)

**Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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**COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS  
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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Dear Sirs:

- ☒ This replies to the Notification of Defective Response mailed November 9, 2006 and the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 36 U.S.C. 371 mailed May 5, 2006.
- ☒ A copy of the Notification of Defective Response and the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 36 U.S.C. 371 is enclosed.

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Date: November 16, 2006

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Sherri Dente

**1. DECLARATION OR OATH**

- ☐ No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the executed declaration or oath for this application.
- ☒ The declaration or oath that was filed was either unexecuted or determined to be defective. A new executed oath or declaration is attached.

**2. AMENDMENT CANCELING CLAIMS**

- ☐ Cancel claims \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.

**3. TRANSMITTAL OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPERS**

- ☐ Submitted herewith is an English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. Also submitted herewith is a statement by the translator of the accuracy of the translation. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the PTO.

**4. COMPLETION FEES**

- ☒ Completion Fees included:

LATE PAYMENT OF FILING FEE AND/OR LATE FILING OF ORIGINAL DECLARATION OR OATH	\$130.00	\$130.00
SMALL ENTITY BY 50%	\$ 65.00	-\$0.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>		\$0.00
PETITION AND FEE FOR FILING	\$130.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR PROCESSING AN APPLICATION FILED WITH A SPECIFICATION IN A NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE	\$130.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR PROCESSING AND RETENTION OF APPLICATION	\$130.00	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$130.00</b>

- ☒ TOTAL COMPLETION FEES ARE **\$130.00.**

**5. EXTENSION OF TIME**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a) apply.

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR § 1.17(a) (1)-(4), for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/> ONE MONTH	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> TWO MONTHS	\$420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/> THREE MONTHS	\$950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FOUR MONTHS	\$1480.00	\$740.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIVE MONTHS	\$2010.00	\$1005.00
FEE		<b>\$0.00</b>

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☐ An extension for \_\_ has already been secured, and the fee paid therefor of \_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☒ EXTENSION FEE DUE WITH THIS REQUEST IS **\$0.00**.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**6. TOTAL FEE DUE**

COMPLETION FEE	\$130.00
EXTENSION FEES	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$130.00</b>

**7. METHOD OF PAYMENT OF FEES**


- ☐ Check in the amount of \_\_\_\_.
- ☒ Charge Account No. 23-1665 in the amount of \$**130.00**.

**8. AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required under 37 CFR §§1.16, 1.17, 1.18, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 23-1665.

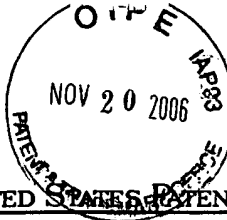
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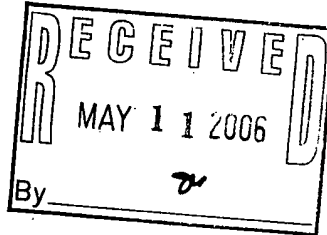


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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

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  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:



- \$130 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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